

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date May 8, 2009

In re the Application of

Hideharu TSUCHIYA

Application No.: 10/525,245

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For: INCUBATOR FOR OBSERVATION BY MICROSCOPE

Group Art Unit: 1797

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Docket No.: 122572

**SMALL ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired May 3, 2009, an extension of time for a period of one month is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 217913 in the amount of \$65.00 in payment for:

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